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Provisional agenda

1. Election of officers.
2. Adoption of the agenda and organization of work.
3. Special theme: the Millennium Development Goals and indigenous peoples: redefining the Goals:[1]
   (a) Millennium Development Goals: development and consultation;
   (b) Cross-cutting approaches to the implementation and monitoring of the Goals;
   (c) Follow-up on Goals 1 and 2;
   (d) Report of the International Expert Group Meeting on the Millennium Development Goals, Indigenous Participation and Good Governance.

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat and other documents to be submitted by the United Nations system

4. Ongoing priorities and themes:
   (a) Discussion of the analytical paper, with a concise compilation of the recommendations of the first three sessions of the Forum and the status of their implementation at the national, regional and international levels;
   (b) Human rights, with special emphasis on interactive dialogue with the Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights on the situation of human rights and fundamental freedoms of indigenous people;
   (c) Indigenous children, youth (2003) and women (2004);

[1] Goals 3 to 8 will be addressed through indigenous approaches to cultural diversity, traditional knowledge and human rights; this applies equally to Millennium Development Goals country reports and poverty reduction strategy papers.

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(d) Data collection (2004);

(e) Free, prior and informed consent (2004);

(f) Half-day discussion on Africa;

(g) Second International Decade of the World's Indigenous People.

Documentation

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5. Future work of the Forum.

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Note by the Secretariat and other documents to be submitted by the United Nations system and special rapporteurs of the Forum

6. Draft agenda for the sixth session of the Forum.

7. Adoption of the report of the Forum on its fifth session.